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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$888.
  - \$342 for 19 total claims over 20.
  - \$546 for 7 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1708.**

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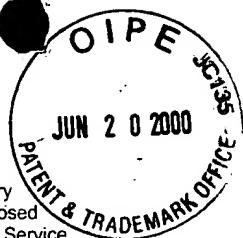
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File No.: 0646/1F153-US1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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Serial No.: 09/498,949 Group Art Unit: 1643

Filed: February 4, 2000 Examiner: To be assigned

For: TRYPTOPHAN SYNTHASE AS A SITE OF HERBICIDE ACTION

Hon. Commissioner of  
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Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

COMPLETION OF PATENT APPLICATION

The following items are submitted herewith in completion of the above-identified patent application:

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney in three (3) counterparts.
2. Check in the amount of \$1,748.00, (\$1,578.00 filing; \$40.00 recording; \$130.00 late fee) (See attached Fee Computation Sheet)
3.  Formal drawings, sheets (Figs. )  
 Informal drawings, sheets (Figs. )
4.  Assignment for recording to: AMERICAN CYANAMID COMPANY

5.  Verified statement claiming small entity status.  
**PARTIAL REFUND of all fees paid within last 2 months is REQUESTED.**

Priority is claimed for this application, corresponding application/s having been filed as follows:

Country:  
Number:  
Date:

The priority documents  are enclosed  
 will follow.

The Patent Office is authorized to charge any deficiency up to \$300.00 in the above fees, and to credit any excess, to our Deposit Account No. 4-0100.

Dated: June 15, 2000

Respectfully submitted,



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PATENT FEE COMPUTATION SHEET

No. of Claims Presented	Extra Claims Previously Paid For	Number of Extra Claims	Rate
Basic Fee .....			\$690.00
Design Application .....			\$0.00
Plant Application .....			\$0.00
Total Claims	39 - 20	- 0 =	19 x \$18.00
Independent Claims	7 - 3	- 0 =	4 x \$78.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	x- if so, add		\$260.00
Surcharge for late submission of filing fee and/or declaration (\$130.00) .....			\$130.00
<b>SUBTOTAL</b> .....			<b>\$1,708.00</b>
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Fee for recordation of assignment (\$40.00) .....			\$40.00
Charge for filing non-English language application (\$130.00) .....			\$
<b>TOTAL</b> .....			<b>\$1,748.00</b>